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SUBJECT: PLANNED VISIT OF EXIMBANK OFFICERS TO ARGENTINA

REF: STATE 197452 (BUENOS AIRES) 19 AUG. 77

1. CRAFTON WILL NEED DEPART BUENOS AIRES SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 18, INSTEAD OF SEPTEMBER 19 BECAUSE OF
URGENT APPOINTMENTS SEPTEMBER 19 IN MEXICO CITY.
REST OF TEAM WILL REMAIN IN ARGENTINA UNTIL EVENING
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SEPTEMBER 20 AS SCHEDULED.

2. CRAFTON NEEDS RESERVATION AEROLINAS FLIGHT
370 DEPARTING BUENOS AIRES 0900 SEPTEMBER 18.
AEROLINAS WASHINGTON OFFICE SAYS FLIGHT FULLY BOOKED
BUT IS REQUESTING BUENOS AIRES HEADQUARTERS TO
ARRANGE RESERVATION IN VIEW OF TRIP'S URGENCY,
OR, IF POSSIBLE, TO ARRANGE ALTERNATE ROUTING.
REQUEST EMBASSY FOLLOW UP WITH AIRLINE.

3. PLEASE INFORM CRAFTON FOLLOWING: QUOTE. PASCOE
ARRANGING RESERVATION AT HOTEL ALMEDA MEXICO CITY
FOR SEPTEMBER 18 AND 19. HAS SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT

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11 AM WITH HACIENDA (DE LA MADRID AND ESCOBEDO) AND WILL
TRY ARRANGE PEMEX APPOINTMENT LATER SAME DAY. PROCTOR
WILL ACCOMPANY AS WILL PASCOE. PROCTOR ARRIVES
MEXICO SUNDAY, 18TH; WILL STAY AT MONTEJO HOTEL.
LETTERS SENT SEPTEMBER 9 ADVISING CONGRESS OF PEMEX
LOANS. CABLES SENT SAME DAY TO PEMEX AND HACIENDA
VIA PASCOE ADVISING OF CONGRESSIONAL LETTERS.
HACIENDA CABLE ALSO CITED SIZE OF LOANS, MENTIONED
HIGH LEVEL OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN NEGOTIATIONS,
PLUS THIS SENTENCE "WE CONSIDER THE CREDITS TO
BE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR EXIMBANK TO PROVIDE FINANCING
FOR MAJOR PROJECTS OF THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES".
PROCTOR AND PASCOE WILL HAVE FULL TEXT OF CABLES
FOR YOUR REVIEW PLUS ANY SUBSEQUENT DEVELOPMENTS.
CONTROL OFFICER FOR PROCTOR, WHITE, OWEN TRIP IS
RICHARD OWEN. CRAFTON FLIGHT TO SAN ANTONIO CONFIRMED
FOR SEPTEMBER 25, 0735, AMERICAN 554. ENDQUOTE. VANCE
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